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SUBJECT: COM Concurrence/Vetting Assurance for FY 2010 Santiago  
Proposal

REF: STATE 92407

CLASSIFIED BY: Paul Simons, Ambassador; REASON: 1.4(B), (D)

¶1. (C) Ambassador Paul E. Simons formally concurs, per reftel guidance, with Embassy Santiago's proposal for FY2010 Section 1206 funding. The proposal is designed to strengthen Chile's capacity to conduct counter-terrorism activities and deepen the already outstanding relationship between the United States and Chile. The 1206 proposal, submitted in septel, would fund specialized individual gear and training. The requested funding amount is USD 714,000.

¶2. (U) Post also affirms that it is not aware of credible evidence of gross violations of human rights by the unit to which assistance would be provided under this authorization.

SIMONS